

# Rock News 2024

## Panorama Rock Lodge Newsletter 2024: Ein Jahr im Rückblick

### Dear Guests and Friends,

As the year winds down, we at Panorama Rock wanted to share some highlights (and a few surprises) from our eventful and, at times, turbulent year.



### The Ups and Downs of the Year

While the world faced its fair share of chaos, we're grateful to report that everyone here at the lodge is healthy, full of energy and even our animals had enough grass. We were lucky to dodge another drought, with just enough rain to keep our spirits (and the landscape) alive. The lodge has been bustling with activity, hosting stunning tours and unforgettable moments with our guests.

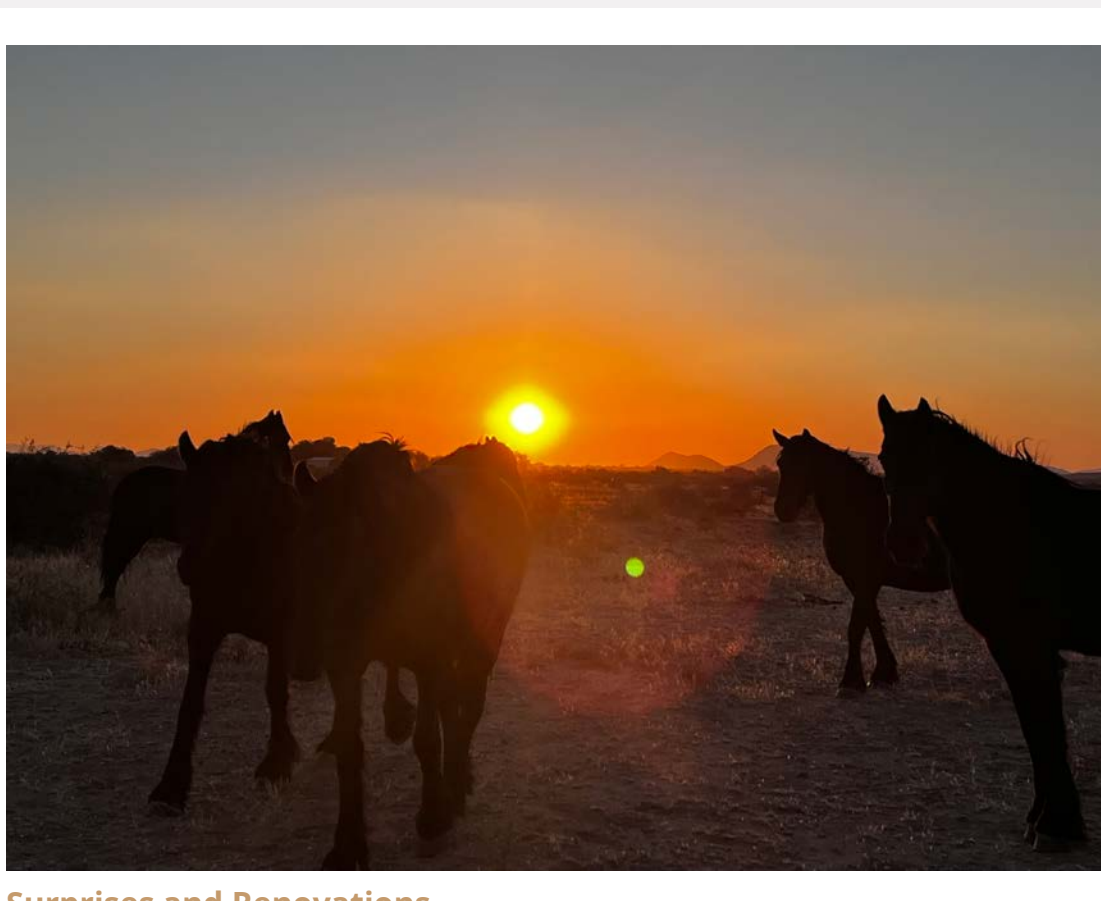
Gert and Sandri showcased the beauty of Namibia and the magic of Panorama Rock as always. It was privilege to connect with people who share our passion for nature and conservation.



### News on the Farm

This year saw the expansion of our game camp with the opening of Sable Camp—a space dedicated to enhancing our wildlife offerings. We welcomed a magnificent new sable bull and a strong new cattle bull to strengthen and expand the herds.

On a more somber note, we lost two of our beloved horses to rabies, a stark reminder of the challenges nature sometimes throws our way.



### Surprises and Renovations

We're excited to announce that the lodge is undergoing renovations! We can't wait to reveal the updated spaces to you—it's all about making Panorama Rock even more special.

To support the lodge and the surrounding ecosystem, we've also deepened our boreholes to ensure a reliable water supply, keeping nature thriving even during tough times.



### Family Milestones

It's been a year of growth and change for our family as well. Bergran started and passed his first year of university—a proud moment for all of us. Sören took off to Europe. After some mountain climbing he did a Mixology course in Spain and works in France at the moment.

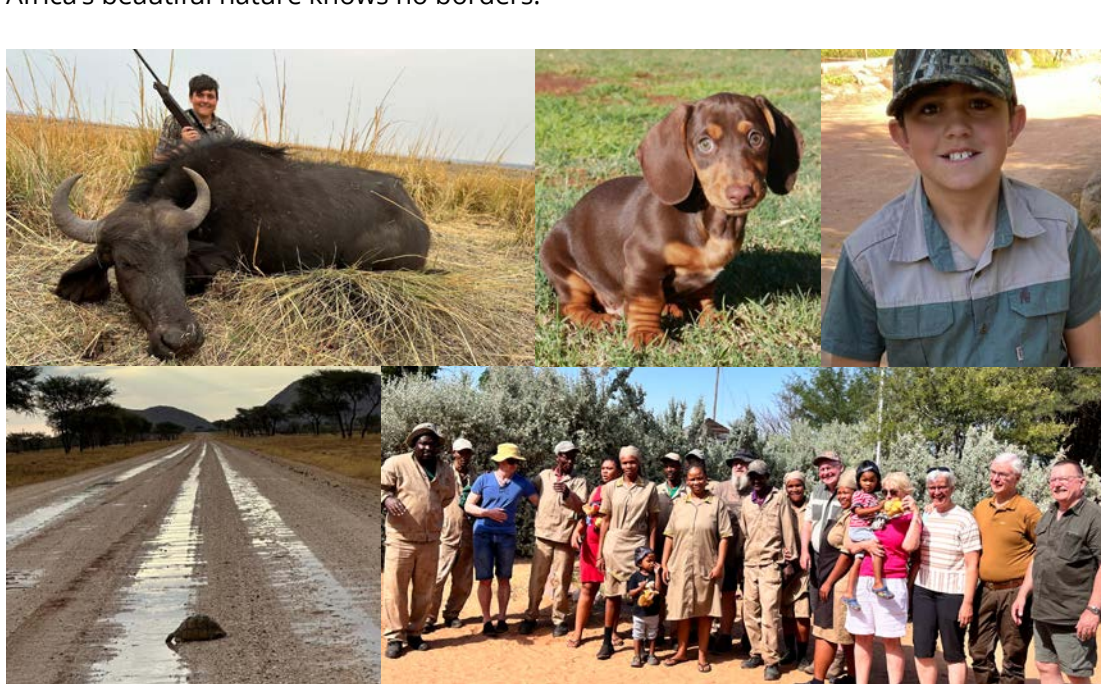
On a different note, Charl had an unexpected adventure of his own, recovering from a broken jaw (ouch!). Aero the sausage dog made it more bearable.

This year brought a historic first for FC with his inaugural buffalo hunt with Gert, an exciting milestone for the family and Panorama Rock.



### Adventures

Marinda also ventured further afield, exploring the wild beauty of Botswana and Angola. Africa's beautiful nature knows no borders!



### The World Beyond

The local and global stage has been equally dramatic, with elections keeping us glued to the news. Panorama Rock also got a spot in Jagd und Hund magazine.

As we reflect on the year's highs and lows, we remain grateful for the support of our incredible guests, team, and community.

Here's to a wonderful year ahead filled with adventure, laughter, and the magic of Panorama Rock. We can't wait to welcome you and your families back soon!

Warm regards,

*Das Panorama Rock Lodge Team*

